

# To Test Constitutionality of Normal School Act

## HARDMAN CASE PROBABLY LASTS TILL TUESDAY

Defense Has At Least 15 Witnesses—  
O. M. Morgan Denies Having  
Furnished Defendant With  
Keys For Escape.

## WOMAN SAYS SHE HEARD SCREAM FROM RENAKER HOME

By Associated Press

WINCHESTER, Dec. 16.—Indications today were that the Scolee Hardman case would not be completed before Monday or Tuesday. The defense has at least fifteen witnesses and the state has some under rebuttal. O. M. Morgan of Carlisle, the first witness today, said she was employed by Lee Hardman as a detective in the Renaker murder case. His testimony related incidents connected with the keys by means of which Hardman is said to have planned his escape from jail. He denied that he furnished Hardman with keys or impressions of them. He asserted that Mrs. Douglas, Hardman's sister, one time gave him instructions of some keys which he returned to her. Another witness, Mrs. William Phillips, said she lives near the Renaker home, and on the night of July 24 she heard a scream from the direction of the Renaker home. She could not say whether it was a man or woman.

## CLARK COUNTY TO VOTE ON \$80,000 ROAD BOND ISSUE

By Associated Press

WINCHESTER, Dec. 16.—An \$80,000 road bond issue will be submitted to the voters of Clark county Thursday for the construction of a road between Winchester and the Powell county line.

The bond issue provides for the levy of 20 cents on the \$100 worth of assessed property to extend over a period of two years.

## VOCATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLLMENT GROWS

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—An enrollment of 478,828 pupils in the 4,915 vocational schools receiving federal funds and operating under approved state plans for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1922, compared with 324,247 a year ago, will be shown in the annual report of the Federal Board for Vocational Education, it is announced by Harry L. Fidler, vice chairman. The number of schools compares with 3,577 reported at the end of the 1921 year.

"Teachers in these schools numbered 12,250, compared with 10,000 reported last year," says the report. "The fiscal year 1921-22 witnessed the greatest expansion in the state and federal vocational education program of any year since the constitution of the board."

Special effort was made during the past year in developments of the part-time school, according to the Senfway time school, accordingly the total enrollment 228,625 pupils are in attendance at part-time schools, 123,393 at evening schools, and 113,338 at all-day schools, states the report. Classified by subjects, 13,0973 are reported as studying in trade and industrial schools; 60,236 in agricultural schools; 118,708 in home economics schools, and 163,911 in attendance at general part-time continuation schools.

"Allotments available to the states last year totalled \$4,120,833.72 and for the current year, ending June 30, 1923 the allotments will total \$4,615,159.82," declares the report. "The states and local authorities spend more for vocational education than the amount of the federal government, making the total amount expended last year \$14,770,142.05, of which \$3,554,570.25 constituted federal funds. Of the balance, \$4,514,148.04 was provided by the states, and \$6,401,424.36 was provided by the local boards."

The report will recommend to congress additional support to enable the board to extend the work in the fields of home economics and commercial education.

## LODGE ELECTION CONTEST CASE IS TAKEN TO SENATE

Contestant's Lawyer Says Massachusetts Senator Has Done More  
To Obstruct World Peace  
Than Any Man Since  
Nero.

## SENATE ASKS TO HEAR THIS CASE IMMEDIATELY

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Proceedings in Massachusetts challenging the reelection of Henry Cabot Lodge to the Senate today were transferred to the Senate itself. Conrad Crocker, attorney for John A. Nichols, defeated Prohibition candidate and representative of the Liberal Republican League of Massachusetts, filed "a protest and challenge" against Lodge's election with Vice-President Coolidge. He charges "flagrant irregularities" in the November election. He declared Lodge was the "minority winner" and had been repudiated. He declared the proceedings were designed to "unseat the man who has accomplished more harm as an obstructionist to world peace and the natural expression of liberal thought than any man since Nero." The Senate is asked to hear the case immediately.

## BOY HELD FOR FORGERY BOUND TO GRIND JURY

Solomon Sandifar, 17-year-old boy of Harrogate, was bound over to the grand jury on the charge of forgery at his preliminary which took place at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon before Magistrate Chas. G. Smyth. His bond was fixed at \$1,000.

The specific charge against him was the passing of a check to the Army Salvage store yesterday morning bearing the name of H. R. Giles. Mr. Smyth and Policeman Yeary gathered up other fraudulent checks this morning which the boy is said to have passed. The Miller Store company was the victim of two of the cases. On one check the name of the payee was William Smyth, on another, Paul Smyth. All of them appear to be in the same handwriting. Another warrant will be issued and the youth be compelled to stand trial for the other alleged forgeries.

## FINISH BRICK WORK ON NEW HIGH SCHOOL TODAY

Brick work on the new high school building will be finished today, according to Mr. Leventhal, member of the contracting firm. Work on the roof will begin in a few days, this job being done by a Knoxville firm which was awarded the sub-contract by Rogers and Leventhal. The material to be used will be five-ply Casey shingles guaranteed for ten years.

John Burnett, who has the contract for the plumbing and heating work of the building, reports that his part of the job is being begun in earnest now.

## MORE RECRUITS FOR ARMY.

Variances in the military service at the Hawaiian Islands, now exist, according to Sergeant M. B. Becker who is here this week in the interest of recruiting, and those joining now may go there if they prefer. David Scott and William Bergen are recent recruits of the sergeant and have been sent to Fort Thomas for further examination.

## POLISH PRESIDENT TELLS OF TURMOIL

Says He Is Opposed by Nationalists,  
That Country Has Been Upset  
Since His Election.

By Associated Press

WARSAW, Dec. 16.—Gabriel Narutowicz, first president of Poland, assassinated today while visiting the exhibition that he was opposed by Nationalists, and that the country had been in a turmoil ever since his election a week ago.

## Girl Whose Murder Rouses All Canada



BLANCHE GARNEAU.

## MURDER OF GIRL ROUSES CANADA

Crime Committed Two Years Ago Still  
Unsolved, Now Political  
Issue.

MONTREAL, Dec. 16.—The mysterious and unavenged murder at Quebec of Blanche Garneau, beautiful young French-Canadian girl, is on every tongue throughout the width and breadth of the Dominion.

It has flamed into new flame the old discord between the British and French in the Province of Quebec.

It has been debated hours in Parliament.

It has cost the province more than \$100,000.

It will very probably be the issue at a coming provincial election!

Meanwhile a royal commission, headed by the chief justice of the superior court, is probing the strange case.

More than two years ago the body of the Garneau girl, assaulted and strangled to death, was found. Police were baffled. No solution could be found.

John H. Roberts, editor of a Montreal weekly, charged the authorities with laxness, declared rumors and coupled the names of two legislators with the murder, and offered a reward for the solution of the case.

Roberts was seized. The legislature passed a special act sentencing him to serve a year in jail. The act will become law when it has received the signature of the lieutenant-governor. Meanwhile Roberts is in custody.

Public feeling ran high. Appointment of a royal commission to probe the whole matter was demanded and granted. The commission now is sitting.

Just before the commission sat, Alexander Laverne, leading French politician, delivered a fiery speech, lauding the British and denouncing his own compatriots as servile and cowards.

With that the Blanche Garneau case definitely was thrown into politics. Both British and French politicians now for a hot fight over the case in the campaign preceding the coming election.

A. C. Hughes Has Paralytic Stroke.  
A. C. Hughes of Tazewell, well-known in Middlesboro, has had a severe case of pneumonia for the past ten days. Today the pneumonia developed into a stroke of paralysis and Hughes is not expected to live through the night. Hughes is a prominent politician and has been sheriff of Claiborne county for the past twenty years.

## GERMAN ECONOMIC SITUATION GROWS STILL MORE ACUTE

Tightening Credit with Resultant  
Higher Prices, Shortage in Essentials  
and Unemployment Indicated—Many May Migrate.

## FLOATING DEBT NOW REPORTED MORE THAN TRILLION MARKS

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Further information concerning Germany's acute economical situation was received today in official dispatches. They disclosed a rapidly tightening credit condition with resultant price increases, shortage in essentials and unemployment. Many workers are said to be preparing to migrate. There is a tremendous increase in Germany's floating debt now of more than a trillion marks is reported.

## STUNT FLYERS NOT TO FLY OVER PUBLIC GATHERINGS

By Associated Press

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 16.—Aviators who would trill the earth-bound by converting over public gatherings in flying machines are the subject of a city legislative move which would limit their aerial gymnastics to safe and sane flying—and that at an altitude of 2,000 feet in order that, in case of mishap, the flyer might slip out to some outlying field to crash, instead of on to the heads of spectators below. Such regulation, urged by the board of public safety, has already been undertaken by the lower portion of the city council. As passed it would provide a fine of \$10 to \$100 for each infraction of the ordinance.

A daring pilot at a recent football game precipitated the rush for legal cover. When the aviator swooped low over the stands and zoomed the length of the playing field, consternation in varying degrees prevailed.

Local armen, as well as citizens who do not fly, have been aroused by that particular exhibition. One experienced pilot, knowing the fallacies of airplane engines, declared that the football game flyer placed the lives of thousands below him in jeopardy needlessly.

A number of student flyers are active in Louisville. It is said the proposed ordinance is intended partially to curb their inclinations to give "exhibits."

## PUCKETT'S CREEK MAN EXAMINED FOR MALICIOUS WOUNDING

PINEVILLE, Dec. 16.—Virgil Smith charged with malicious striking and wounding with a deadly weapon, lay at Pucket's Creek December 13, was given an examining trial Friday afternoon in Judge Bingham's Court. The instrument used was an ax, and Smith plead self defense, stating that Lay made a motion to draw a gun, before he struck him with the ax. The blow was intercepted by an upraised arm and the injury resulting was slight. Witnesses stated that Lay had no gun at the time.

Smith was bound over to the grand jury under \$500 bond, in default of which he was placed in the Pineville jail.

## WALLACE REID IS FIGHTING FOR LIFE

Popular Movie Hero Suffered Nervous  
Breakdown Two Months  
Ago.

By Associated Press

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 16.—Wallace Reid, film actor, is "fighting for his life" in a small Hollywood sanitarium, according to a story the Los Angeles Times published here today. Reid suffered a breakdown nearly two months ago after his health had been failing for three years, his wife is quoted as saying.

## FATHER OF JESS BULL OFFERS REWARD FOR ARREST OF MURDERER

Dave Bull has deposited \$100 in the Citizens Bank and Trust Co. to be paid to the one who can procure the arrest and conviction of the person who killed his son, Jess Bull. Jess Bull was fatally shot Monday night as he was going home from work by someone hiding in ambush.

## ANNOUNCE CIRCUIT COURT JURYMEN

Individual Summons to Members of  
Petit Jury for January Term  
Sent Out Thursday.

PINEVILLE, Dec. 16.—The list of petit jurymen for the January term of Bell Circuit Court which begins at Pineville January 1, 1923, has been compiled and individual summons were sent out December 14. Judge J. G. Forrester will preside at this term and Capt. B. B. Golden will act as Commonwealth's Attorney. A number of important cases are to be brought up. The jury follows with the district each man is from:

Martin Willis, District 5; Sam Van Bever, 1; Bill Gibson, 5; J. A. Faulkner, 1; L. P. Brown, 2; Lige Garrison, 2; J. C. Saylor, 3; James B. Fussen, 5; J. D. Mattingly, 6; R. B. Baird, 1; Thomas Luman, 1; Leonard Shisher, 1; H. D. Mooney, 3; P. T. Green, 1; Billy Lake, 5; L. C. Kelly, 3; Steve Calloway, 3; James Partin, 3; Hard Goodin, 5; John Smith, 1; James Phillips, 1; J. M. Wilder, 3; Millard Knuckles; Will Shusher, 2; C. C. Knuckles, 2; J. F. Shusher, 2; J. B. Rice, Jr., 1; Joe Faulkner, 5; Jacob Howard, 1; John Johnson, 2; Fannery Hann, 2; D. Scott, 1; Walter Miracle, 3; Ralph Johnson, 2; Robert Shisher, 2; Milford Partin, 6; and E. F. Baker, 1.

## DR. J. R. TINSLEY HEADS MEDICAL SOCIETY FOR YEAR

PINEVILLE, Dec. 16.—As retiring president of the Bell County Medical Society, Dr. O. P. Nuckols, tendered to its members a seven course dinner at the Continental Hotel last night. The tables were beautifully decorated and the turkey dinner, including the delicacies of the Christmas season, was perfect in appointment.

Officers elected for the coming year were: president, Dr. J. R. Tinsley, of Middlesboro; vice president, Dr. L. D. Hoskins, Pineville; secretary-treasurer, Dr. J. G. Foley, Pineville; censor, Dr. O. P. Nuckols, Pineville.

Guests present were: Dr. Tilman Ramsey, Dr. Edward Wilson, Dr. J. G. Foley, Dr. L. D. Hoskins, Dr. C. C. Durham, Dr. J. S. Bingham, all of Pineville; Dr. George Hayes of Louisville; Dr. Jacob Schultz, Dr. T. T. Gibson, Dr. T. H. Curd, Dr. C. K. Lrosheer, Dr. H. L. Gragg and Dr. J. R. Tinsley all of Middlesboro and Dr. J. P. Morrison of Cumberland Gap. Dr. Knuckles' three sons, Paul E., J. Norwood and J. Leon were also present.

## PRELIMINARY HEARING OF BARNETT WAIVED TILL MARCH

Preliminary hearing was waived by Thomas Barnett, held in connection with the death of Jess Bull, and by agreement of the defense and Commonwealth, the case was passed over for investigation by the grand jury which meets here in March. The prisoner was released on a \$2500 bond.

A large crowd was present for the expected hearing, the circuit court room being almost entirely filled. Such investigation as took place and the formalities incident to making the land were in the office of the attorney, County Judge J. S. Bingham presiding over the proceedings.

## Whiskey Found in Wabash Room.

Three fruit jars containing whiskey were found in a room at the Wabash hotel by the police this morning. Two men who occupied the room were arrested and put in the city jail on the charge of having liquor. The whiskey and a large revolver which one of the men had were confiscated by the police.

## COURT ACTION TO BE INSTITUTED EARLY NEXT WEEK

State Superintendent Colvin Determined to Try Measure After  
Convention of School Heads  
Deplores Normal Situation.

## RECOMMEND FULL INVESTIGATION IN "PROPER" TRIBUNAL

By Associated Press

FRANKFORD, Dec. 16.—Court action will be instituted early next week through State Auditor John Craig to test the constitutionality of the act creating the normal school commission and to determine the rights of that body, George Colvin, State Superintendent, said today. He is determined upon that course after the county school superintendents adopted resolutions at a meeting here today deploring "the unfortunate status into which our new normal school situation has declined" and recommending full investigation before the proper tribunal.

## FARM CONVENTION ADVOCATES GENEROUS FARM LOAN POLICY

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Legislation making it possible for farmers to borrow from farm loan banks in nine month periods and in individual sums up to \$25,000 were advocated today in the legislative policy adopted by the convention here.

James T. Dunigan, coal operator at Harlan, and Mrs. Josephine Green Tiall of Cincinnati were married this morning by Dr. Jacob Schultz in his office on Cumberland avenue. The couple will spend several days at the Hotel Cumberland and sight seeing in Middlesboro.

The life sentence of Rhoda Walker charged with murder, has been reversed in the Court of Appeals and a new trial will be granted the woman in the next term of circuit court.

## UNDERSTANDING OF FELLOWMAN, NEED

By Associated Press

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 16.—Ability to understand our fellowman is the great fundamental force necessary in business, social and community life, declared Raymond M. Havens of Kansas City, president of Rotary International, speaking here tonight to Rotary clubs. Man is not born with an understanding but with the ability to understand, he asserted, pointing out that only through understanding will peace and good will come to the world.

"Friendship is founded upon understanding one another," said Mr. Havens. "In the competition and rivalries of striving for success we often think of the other fellow as our enemy. One day we get his viewpoint and he ceases to be our enemy—we understand each other. The anarchist, communist and the conspirator against civilization are men who do not understand. The way to Americanize the un-American is to treat him so that he will understand America. The good citizen is the one who understands that he is the law, the upholder of representative government and responsible to his country for his country's good."

"The primary purpose of Rotary is to make good citizens and we must understand what good citizenship is before we can teach it to others. The good Rotarian is a unit of Rotary International in his personal contact in business, social and civic life. This idea once grasped makes him see not only his small field of activity but all civilization."

"In all his activities the Rotarian stands for success because civilization is only another name for the success of mankind in understanding their world. In Rotary, the citizen finds himself in an environment where understanding is the thing and where the yard stick is the golden rule."

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## A THOUGHT

A false balance is an abomination to the Lord; but a just weight is his delight.—Proverbs 11:1.

Justice and truth are two points of exquisite delicacy, that our coarse and faint instruments will not touch them accurately.—Pascal.

## MIDDLESBORO HIGH AS ACCREDITED SCHOOL

The recognition of Middlesboro High as an accredited school by the Southern Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools is indeed a gratifying matter to Middlesboro citizens and is a splendid compliment to the reorganization and constructive work that is being done in our schools here. This is the first time that the Middlesboro High School has ever been on the accredited list, that is, recognized so that its graduates do not have to take entrance examination to colleges and universities. Middlesboro people now are positive that the school shall never come out of the list.

This honor, perhaps the most concrete result of the progress which our school system has been making, only serves to strengthen our determination to make our schools second to none in the state. During the past year the whole educational system has made wonderful progress. In January, with only eight dissenting votes, the town passed a \$150,000 school bond issue. Following this, plans were made for a new high school and four grade schools in the outlying districts, enough buildings to accommodate the large number of school children which Middlesboro has. As the crowning accomplishment, the school board persuaded Supt. J. W. Brandler, recognized as one of the foremost educators in the state, to come here and take charge of building up our schools.

Superintendent Brandler has reorganized the schools here and he has made a definite program which teachers and students are following. After the first of the year, when the housing conditions, the greatest difficulty the school has had so far, have been alleviated, there is every assurance that every detail of the school program will be carried out. Surely, Middlesboro citizens should realize the debt of gratitude which they owe the board of education and Superintendent Brandler, and as time goes on and they see the improved educational conditions and the advantages which their children enjoy, they will unanimously lend their support to whatever constructive issue the board and the superintendent project.

## PINEVILLE AS DISTRICT FOOTBALL CHAMPION

The following editorial from the Pineville Sun, in connection with one printed in the Harlan Enterprise last week, are submitted to Middlesboro readers without further comment:

We down here in Bell county agree heartily with our good neighbor, the Enterprise of Harlan, that there may be a "sneaky sort of feeling" that after all the score is the gauge of supremacy in athletics. And let us emphasize in passing that it must be a "sneaky feeling" to put the score above amateurism and sportsmanship.

Harlan beat Pineville on the football field this fall 20 to 0. No denial of that. Nor is there any denial that Sizemore went from Harlan almost immediately after the Pineville game, entered Centre College and then played on the freshmen team there the rest of the season. With the exception of Mr. Sizemore, the same team that played Pineville journeyed to Middlesboro, where Mr. Neck, coach, admitted that several of his men were ineligible to play according to the rules of the Southeastern Kentucky athletic association, the same admission that he said he made by telephone the evening before the Middlesboro game.

And he further stated that he could not put a strictly eligible high school team on the field, without using some were boys who could not compete with the other high school teams of the section. Harlan not only entered the Middlesboro game with men their coach admitted to be ineligible, but walked off the field with the score of 6 to 0 against them, when the referee made a ruling which they thought was unfair. Lots of other folk thought the ruling improper, too, but that added nothing to the sportsmanship of walking off the field.

Sure Pineville claims the high school amateur championship of South Eastern Kentucky, but make no claim to be the ineligible or professional championship. If Harlan claims that they are welcome to it, heart and soul and in passing we would suggest that Mr. Enterprise apply to Mr. Neck, coach, or Mr. Jones, superintendent for information as to which of the men who played in the Harlan-Pineville football game have since then entered school there, and the quality of work they may be doing. Pineville would like to have that information for stove league gossip. Probably Middlesboro, also. Certainly Mr. Enterprise.

It was always better to let the school folk run football rather than the townfolk.

All of which may be taken as part answer to the following from last week's issue of the Enterprise:

Pineville, And Middlesboro, Take Notice

In the Wednesday edition of the Middlesboro Daily News, there appeared an account of the football game between Pineville and Middlesboro in which the former were victorious by the tune of something like fifty points and in this same item there was a statement to the fact that the victory gave to Pineville the championship of the Southeastern Kentucky.

Maybe it does and maybe it does not. By some new fangled form of Jacksoning someone may have devised a new manner of determining a championship, but up until recently it has been the custom to consider the team that won the games to be champion. Since Middlesboro was defeated by Harlan and also Pineville succumbed to the Harlan aggregation, it is hard to figure how the game at Middlesboro could be the wildest stretch of imagination have any bearing on the championship of Southeastern Kentucky, unless as we have heretofore indicated, there has been a new method determined upon by these two also teams, whereby they constitute the sum total of Southeastern Kentucky.

After the defeat of Middlesboro and Pineville there was a large sized howl of ringer and roughneck, but it is a noticeable fact that there has been no investigation by these institutions as to the eligibility of any of the players participating. Maybe somebody else in a glass house.

Harlan is willing to concede the declaratory honors to her sister institutions in Bell, but there is a sneaky sort of feeling existing that after all the score is the gauge of supremacy in athletics.

## SURVEY OF NATION'S EXTENSIVE MINERAL RESOURCES

By Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16. — Work of the Geological Survey during the last year in examining government lands has resulted in leaving now classified and reserved 60,000,000 acres of coal lands; 6,500,000 acres of petroleum lands; 4,100,000 acres of oil shale; and 2,700,000 acres containing phosphates suitable for fertilizer manufacture. This summary of activities was given in the survey's annual report, made public today.

Dealing with the mineral resources contained in the government's own land holdings is but one branch of the scientific investigation work performed by the Survey, and its engineers and calculators also have turned out topographic maps covering 13,344 square miles of the country's surface showing exact contours of the land, and stream flow investigations which



entailed 11,000 measurements in rivers in 31 states.

It likewise completed studies of the radium bearing ore deposits in Utah and measured underground water flow in Nevada sufficiently to designate 282,000 acres of land as suitable for utilization in reclamation enterprise.

♦ ♦ ♦ Berton Braley's Daily Poem ♦ ♦ ♦  
♦ ♦ ♦ Faint Heart's CHRISTMAS PLEA ♦ ♦ ♦  
♦ ♦ ♦ By Berton Braley ♦ ♦ ♦

Oh, Santa, oh, St. Nicholas, who brings us gifts to tinkle us,  
Who rambles in and scrambles down the flue;

Among your visits various to houses multifarious  
There is a task I'd like to ask of you:

I love a sweet divinity, a pearl of femininity,  
Her hand if seek, but I'm too weak, I guess;

Please put her on your sleigh with you and carry her away with you  
And bring the Miss direct to this Address!

My heart may show unsteadiness but all shall be in readiness  
If you contrive to make the drive with here,

Instead of stockings hung about — as all the bards have sung about —  
You'll find I've hung a tresser, as were,

Of raiment fashioned cunningly when will bedeck her stunningly,  
If I hope, she will elope with me; Convention cannot harry us if you, a Saint, will marry me;

Who'd dare deny a Saint's propriety!

May, Santa, give a lift to me and bring this precious gift to me.  
You have the verve and easy nerve I lack;

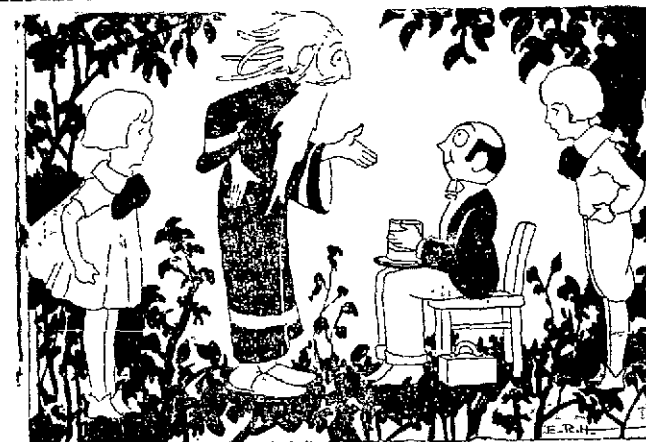
But once you safely land her here, I think she'll find life grander here,  
And never sue nor clamor to go back And as the time goes whirlingly and Christmas comes recurringly,

We may have flocks of little sox to hang.  
Yes if the fates will humor us with toys, however numerous,

We'll just make you Godfather to The Gang!

## Adventures of The Twins

By Olive Roberts Barton



And there stood the Sour Old Witch in her doorway, trying her best not to look sour.

Nancy and Nick were out one day delivering things for the Green Wizard.

You haven't any idea of how many things people were always wanting. They had a magic collar-button for Mr. Crow, that wouldn't roll under the bureau every time he went to put his collar on.

They had a magic hammer for Mrs. Coon that wouldn't smash her thumb every time she went to hammer a tack in a hurry.

Chickie Chipmunk wanted a magic weeder for the garden so he would have more time to play after the school. They had that too.

And they had a hat for Mrs. Cottontail that would not go crooked whenever she hopped to a party.

They were passing the waterfalls all loaded down with bundles, when suddenly a voice called out, "How do you do, my dears? Won't you come in?"

And there stood the Sour Old Witch in her doorway, trying her best not to look sour.

"Certainly," answered Nancy, who always liked to be polite. "But we can't stay long. We are out delivering."

"What, pray?" asked the Sour Old Witch, although she knew well enough. "Some magical things the Green Wizard has made for his friends," answered the Twins.

"Well, leave them here in my hall, food."

## Pa Whooza Dumbbell Thinks



That sweet peas are some kind of food.

## THE ONE-MAN WOMAN

By Ruth Agnes Abelling.

## BEGIN HERE TODAY

KATE PARSONS had quarreled with her mother in her youth. The girl was high-spirited, ran away from home one night and disappeared in the maze of the great city.

There she had met, loved and married.

DAN WARD. Their married life had been happy but he had died and after a long absence Kate turned toward home.

There she learned that her mother was dead. Kate decided to live with her father.

JUSTIN PARSONS now alone in the world with only the dog, MONK, for a companion.

GO ON WITH THE STORY.

Almost with the dawn Kate Ward was up.

While she dressed, Monk padded around at her heels, rubbing an affectionate nose over her slippered feet. Then he stretched, with his huge forepaws on her shoulders while he looked confidently but questioningly into her face.

"We'll get him a nice breakfast, won't we?" Kate questioned, thinking of Justin, who, in the room on the other side of the hall, was stirring to consciousness and trying to clarify his vision, in which persisted Kate and her mother as they were years before.

"Hot biscuits, Monk—and a bowl of broth, and a bone for you?"

Monk expressed his approval with a mad switching of his stubby tail and followed Kate to the kitchen.

"Didn't do much dishwashing, reckon, in the city?" Justice was helping his daughter to put away the breakfast things.

"Not much!" smiling.

"That's the trouble with us, Katie—not enough dishes to wash and clothes to mend for the women, or kids to support for the men," rumbled Justin.

"No," softly.

"Your fault?" suggested the elderly man.

"You're lying, Katie. I never knew you to tell an untruth, but I know you aren't that kind of a woman."

(To Be Continued.)



Tom Sims Says

Chile has so many earthquakes the people may begin walking like sailors and getting seasick.

Turkey refuses to place a limit on her army which is the limit.

Buy two toy trains. One for the kids and one for the father.

Give her an imported hair brush if you think she has imported hair.

Shop late and enjoy the rush.

Don't forget and give an Englishman Irish linen handkerchiefs.

If the French occupy the Ruhr Valley it may mean a war. You can give some friend a wrist watch.

After raising Cain about turkey prices remember that a Christmas goose costs a week's pay in Berlin.

Manchuria wants America's worn-out street cars. Sorry, Manchuria, but we are using them.

Chicago has a deaf and dumb barber college. Long may they shave.

A rug as a gift makes a room as snug as a bug in a rug.

Towels are nice clean gifts.

Some women want house dresses for Christmas, but movie tickets are considered more useful.

The boy will be disappointed if there is no sawdust in sister's doll.

When marking up a price tag always be sure the person who receives the gift will not exchange it.

The lighter electric irons do not damage the wall or knock a husband like the heavy ones.

What we need is a coal wane.

Presidential work is ruining Harding's golf, which is an alibi very few golfers can give.

After calling a man a liar you often find you missed your calling.

Basketball has the place for football but like substitutes for highballs, it hasn't the kick.

Miss Grace Haskins is 22 and a film producer, but some movies indicate there are producers 10 years younger than Grace.

Movies, says a director, are a gamble. They usually win by a full house.

Oregon boxer fights under the name of Broken Blossom and some day he may have a nose like a rose.

Two dozen jugs for putting liquids in make excellent gifts.

## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



## THINGS ARE GETTING SERIOUS

By Allman





The item of news and society in your neighborhood are interesting to other readers of our paper. Why not phone them in? Call 63.

### The Turf Fire.

In summer time I foot the turf  
And lay the sods to dry.  
South wind and lark's song, and the  
sun far up in the sky.  
I pile them on the turf stack  
Against the time of snow,  
Black frost, a gale from the north  
who minds what winds will blow?

Now winter's here, make up the  
fire,  
And let you bo't 'he door,  
A wind across the mountains, a  
draught across the floor,  
I'll not be heeding cold nor rain,  
Or moaning of the wind,  
With the turf fire, the hearth stone  
the notions in my mind.  
I see myself a barefoot child,  
I see myself a lad,  
When the gold upon the grose bush  
was all the gold I had.  
I do be having fine old dreams  
Of days were long ago,  
When the wind keens, the night falls  
and the embers glow.

W. M. Letts.

### Minstrel Cast Are Banqueted

The Middleboro Elks lodge gave a banquet last night at the Hotel Cumberland in honor of the boys who took part in the minstrel show Monday night. An interesting program of minstrel specialty acts and speeches was given in the following order: Song, "Don't Bring Me Posies," Warren Seale; Song, "Dapper Dan," R. B. Hatfield; song, "Strut, Miss Lizzie," Eddie Laermont; song, "Thought You Were a Friend of Mine," Bill Smith; talk by Arthur Rhorer thanking the boys for their help in the minstrel and inviting them to visit the lodge whenever they wanted to; back door campaign speech, John Ausmus; jig dance, W. C. Livesay, accompanied by John Hurst. After the banqueters went into the hotel lobby, the quartette, composed of Ernest Warren, Warren Seale, R. B. Hatfield and Bill Smith, sang two selections.

Those present at the banquet were: Frank Biscoe, W. C. Livesay, John Ausmus, Bill Smith, R. B. Hatfield, John Hurst, Warren Seale, William Drake, Floyd Breeding, Martin Stopinski, Donald Coyle, Marcus Ginsburg, Henry Austin, John Walbrecht, Bill Haynes, Claude Thomas, Charles Marlon, Edward B. Laermont, C. A. Lyman, Ray Johnson, J. H. Vetterhall, Jack Sals, Otto Brown, T. W. Watts, Harry Butts, A. L. Altmann, Manager G. F. Schenck of the Hotel Cumberland, his wife, Mrs. G. F. Schenck, and their niece, Miss Margaret H. Wetherby.

### Burnett-Hoskins Wedding Today.

Miss Vandetta Burnett, daughter of Mrs. P. Burnett, and Mr. John Hoskins, son of Mrs. J. C. Hoskins, were united in marriage at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's brother, John Burnett, on Twenty-second Street. The ring ceremony was used, the Rev. Sam P. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. Only the immediate families were present. Because of the illness of the bride's mother, the wedding was held at the brother's home. The bride wore a beautiful blue velveteen suit with gray accessories and a silver and blue hat, and her corsage was of roses and lilies of the valley. She was given in marriage by her brother, Luther Burnett. Mrs. Luther Burnett was matron of honor. Immediately after the ceremony the newly married couple left for a two weeks' honeymoon in northern cities. They will be at home here after the first of the year.

Mrs. Hoskins was born in Middleboro and has lived here all of her life. She is a talented musician and has been pipe organist at the Baptist church for many years. She was educated in music in Knoxville and Nashville and has taught pipe organ and piano in Middleboro since graduation. Mr. Hoskins is president and general manager of the Mathel Coal Company.

### Helen Ralston Home tonight

Miss Helen Ralston will return from Randolph Macon tonight to spend the holidays with home folks. This is Miss Ralston's second year at Randolph Macon.

### Eleanor Campbell Home from College

Miss Eleanor Campbell will return home for the holidays tomorrow from Georgetown College. She was dismissed early in the week when the

electric plant burned down and the power house blew up. Miss Campbell has been at the house party of Mrs. Jacoby's. Miss Margaret Campbell returned last week from Georgetown where she spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Miss Eleanor.

### John and Mary Howard Come home for Christmas

John Howard who is attending Tennessee Military Institute will return home for the holidays tonight. Miss Mary Howard will return next week from Stonevall Jackson. Miss Patsy Kinnaird will return to school with Miss Mary for next term.

### Good Manners.

Tipping is an un-American and a much to be deplored, but where it prevails it is doubtful policy, even if not actually bad form, to defy the custom. Waiters, porters and others similarly employed generally have their pay fixed at a low rate in the expectation that their incomes will be increased by their tips, and it is hardly fair to penalize them for a system they themselves may dislike.

But excessive tipping is vulgar. Ten to 12 per cent of the bill is the rule for waiters and usually it may be accepted as a standard.

### To Come Home From College for Christmas

Among the Middleboro boys and girls who will come home from college for the Christmas holidays will be: Eugene Nicholson, University of Wisconsin; John McGiboney, Wesleyan at Winchester; Miss Margaret and Miss Kathryn Gunn, University of Kentucky; Miss Laura Gunn, Hamilton College, Lexington; Jimmie Edmonds, Woodbury Forest; Miss Gladys Shelton, Interment College; Miss Mary Yeager, Interment College; Lee Campbell, Annapolis; Miss Hattie Whitfield, Brenau College; Miss Helen Ralston, Randolph Macon; Miss Adah Ralston, Cardone at Georgetown; Arthur Gloster, University of Tennessee; Miss Eleanor Campbell, Georgetown; Jack Rabe and Hollis Evans, Georgetown; Miss Elizabeth Thomas, Georgetown; Miss Mary Helburn, University of Kentucky; Miss Virginia Batry, Cincinnati Conservatory of Music; Miss Ann Bailey Baldwin, Miss Margaret Hall, Versailles; Miss Alice Gloster, Margaret Hall; Ben Brosheer, University of Kentucky; Jack and Merle Gray, Kings College; Francis Heaton, University of Cincinnati; John Howard, Stonevall Jackson; Miss Ida Mae Smith, Wesleyan; Miss Myrtle Thompson, University of Missouri; Miss Dorothy Thompson, Cumberland College at Williamsburg.

### Miss Lillian Weinstein to Visit Albert

Miss Lillian Weinstein will leave next Friday for Nashville to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Sol Ginsberg, and her brother, Albert, who is a student at Vanderbilt University.

### Eugene Nicholson Home Next Friday

Eugene Nicholson will return home next Friday for the holidays. He is a student at the University of Wisconsin.

### Miss Edythe Hambricht to visit in Pennsylvania

Miss Edythe Hambricht who is a student in the Combs Conservatory of Music at Philadelphia will not return home Christmas. She will spend the first part of her vacation visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fred Berry, in Glenwood, N. J., and Arthur Young in New York City. The latter part of the vacation will be spent at a house party at the home of her friend, Miss Monna Bell Pillington, in Punxsutawney, Pa.

### Laymen Invited to Library Tomorrow

The laymen of all Middleboro churches are invited to be present at a meeting at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Carnegie Library Building. An organization will be perfected to promote the growth of the Sunday schools of Middleboro.

### Y. W. A. Remembers Grace Nettleton Children

The members of the Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church are making 47 attractive baskets which will be filled with fruit and candy for the children at Grace Nettleton. The name of each child will be written on the baskets.

### Dental Association Meets Tonight

The South Eastern Kentucky Dental

Association will hold a banquet at 8:30 o'clock tonight at the Hotel Cumberland. Twenty members are expected to be present. Dr. C. K. Tyree of London, president of the association will preside. Dr. J. H. Brooks of Middleboro is secretary of the association.

### Miss Burch to Missouri Tomorrow Noon

Miss Kathryn Burch will leave tomorrow noon for her home in Brookfield, Mo. She will visit in St. Louis, Jacoby's. Miss Margaret Campbell returned last week from Georgetown where she spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Miss Eleanor.

### Reid Circle To Remember Poor

The Reid Circle of the First Baptist church will meet next Thursday to prepare Christmas baskets for the sick and needy. These baskets will be delivered next Friday and Saturday.

Last Thursday the Circle packed a barrel of fruit and jellies for the Women's Missionary Union Training School in Louisville.

### Percy Tinsley Celebrates Sixth Birthday

Percy Tinsley celebrated his sixth birthday yesterday at his home on Cumberland avenue. The house was decorated in Christmas colors. A Christmas tree, electrically lighted, stood in one corner of the dining room. A large angel food birthday cake with lighted candles formed the centerpiece of the dining table. A kewpie stood guard over the cake. Christmas baskets filled with candy were given as favors. Games were played until the guests who were in school arrived, then contests were held. Story book prizes were given the contest winners who were, Susan Bailey, Porter Martin, Jack Hambricht and Virgil Wilder. Those who assisted in the entertaining were: Mrs. J. M. Thomas, and

Mrs. H. H. Tinsley. Many pretty birthday presents were given Percy by his little friends.

The guests were: Louise Forrester, Peggy McGibony, Lorine Thomas, Ada Yeager, Ruth Whalin, Mary Helen Shelton, Marian Gibson, Gypsy Douglas, Emily C. Oaks, Betsy Veal, Harriet Dinger, Susan Bailey, Leah Easter, Florence Easter, Irene Arthur, Eleanor Veal, Nina Dean, Phyllis Casky, Anna Lee Cline, Dorothy Judy, Mary Lou Burns, Neal Elizabeth Smith, Thelma Townes, Catherine Tinsley, St. Lawrence Bates, Ola Marie Holdingsworth, Lois Lyons, Virgil Wilder, O. B. Holdingsworth, Jr., Leeland Seales, J. P. Burnett, Richard Judy, Bill Huff Thomas, Buddy Easter, Earl Wilson, Milton Oaks, Jack Hambricht, Raymond Zaubner, Sam Latiff, Tom Yeakum, Porter Martin.

Miss Drucella and Miss Jewell Tye of Barboursville will be guests of Miss Missie Herd this week end.

Jack Rabe and Hollis Evans who are students at Georgetown College have returned home for the holidays. This is their first year at Georgetown.

L. A. Dalton is ill at his home on Rochester avenue.

Sam J. Walters was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fugate yesterday. Mr. Walters is Mrs. Fugate's brother.

## TODAY'S RECIPES

### SPANISH FRICASSE OF CHICKEN By Bertha E. Shapleigh, of Columbia University

1 chicken or young fowl, cut in pieces for serving.  
1-2 cup bacon dice or  
1-4 cup olive oil

2 teaspoons salt  
2 teaspoons paprika  
1 onion, medium size  
1 clove garlic  
1 green pepper  
2 cups tomato  
2 quarts water  
1 cup rice (well washed)

Sprinkle the pieces of chicken with the paprika and fry in the bacon fat or oil until nicely browned. In remaining fat, fry the onion thinly sliced; the garlic, finely cut; the green pepper, cut in strips, and the rice. When rice is yellow, place all with the chicken in a kettle, add water and tomato and cook slowly until chicken is tender and rice is soft. In serving turn rice on to platter, and on it lay the pieces of chicken. The rice will take up the liquid, leaving just enough to make it moist.

Note: The quantities of salt and pepper may not be sufficient. Always season more to taste.



# FURS

## XMAS SALE

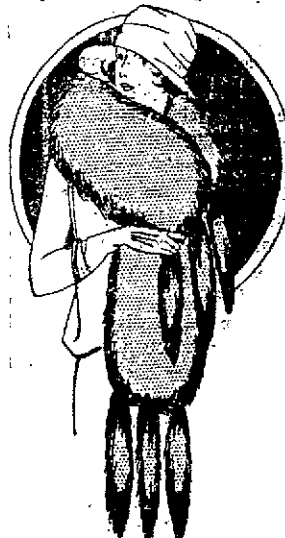
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\$5.98 \$6.75



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CHILDREN'S HOSIERY  
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\$1.25 " 98c  
\$2.25 " \$1.79  
Children Wool Hose  
Special - 69c

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# JOBS NOW PLENTIFUL IN THE UNITED STATES AS SHOWN BY POLL ON EMPLOYMENT GAINS

By Harry Hunt

Washington, Dec. 16.—America has taken a running start on its predicted 1923 climb to the high seat in the handwagon of general prosperity.

Unemployment has ceased to exist in a number of states, and the total number of jobless in the country is the smallest at any time since the after-the-war slump of 1921. In August of that year, there were 5,737,000 workers out of jobs.

With transportation handicaps removed, credit difficulties smoothed and public confidence restored, it is predicted that 1923 will enjoy a wave of general prosperity.

Such is the verdict of Francis I. Jones, chief of the unemployment section of the United States Department of Labor, following his December survey of employment conditions.

"Expansions of employment during the last month has been the greatest for any period this year," says Jones. "Further extension was prevented only by inadequate rail transportation. Car shortage hampered lumbering in Washington and Oregon, and mining in many states. Increased production is mirrored in the iron and steel industry, textiles, automobiles, mining, oil, etc."

**ALABAMA:** Increase in employment iron, and steel industries leading. Highway construction absorbing all surplus common labor.

**ARIZONA:** Only unemployed are those voluntarily idle. Large demand for farm and highway labor and miners.

**ARKANSAS:** Coal mining brisk; common labor in fair demand; supply adequate.

**CALIFORNIA:** Surplus of unskilled laborers. Shortage in lumber activities. Strong demand for building tradesmen in large cities.

**COLORADO:** Nearly all industries operating to full capacity with increased forces. Shortage of miners and building craftsmen.

**CONNECTICUT:** All industries running full time for overtime. Shortage of female factory workers and scarcity of common labor.

**DELAWARE:** Increased employment in various industries but slackening demand in chemical industry.

**GEORGIA:** Cotton and lumber mills largely increase employment. Shortage in building trades.

**IDAHO:** Employment in eastern sections, quiet in west. Lumber and mining active. Highway construction continues through winter.

**ILLINOIS:** Employment best in two years. Car shops and glass, furniture, musical instrument factories increase work. Construction booming. Coal mining 50 per cent normal, steel mills increasing to 80 percent capacity. Farm, common labor scarce.

**INDIANA:** Industries busy, building active, common labor needed, automotive industry at high level of employment. Farm hands scarce.

**IOWA:** Inadequate transportation curtails flour milling, but packing plants, railroad shops, iron and steel circles increase employment. Building active in cities.

**KANSAS:** Farm help needed, public work employing much common labor, but railway shops, tire factories on part time.

**KENTUCKY:** employment increased in tobacco, leather, lumber, paper, chemical, textile and building material industries. Coal mines, railroads employing more men. Highway construction and building trades active.

**LOUISIANA:** Lumbering, shipyards oil fields, building trades, highway construction gaining in employment. Common labor demand fair.

**MAINE:** Practically all industries running full time. Shortage of workers in textile and building trades.

**MARYLAND:** Small employment gains by food and textile plants offset by decreased chemical and agricultural production. Sugar refineries, lumber, hiring more men.

**MASSACHUSETTS:** Textile, shoe, furniture, cordage plants running to capacity. Building trades need men.

**MICHIGAN:** Automotive industry maintaining unusually high employment rate. Food, hardware, furniture plants increasing operations. Serious labor shortage in lumber woods and in unskilled work in cities. Transportation difficulties biggest handicap.

**MINNESOTA:** Meat packing, steel works show gains, while flour milling restricted by transportation. Building activities declining. Surplus of female office help. Lumber camps employing released harvest hands.

**MISSISSIPPI:** Lumbering increasing payrolls despite car shortage. The textile, iron and steel, chemical, food and allied industries show gains.

**MISSOURI:** Railroads, mines, met-

al industries, shoe factories, meat packing show increased employment. Good demand for farm help.

**MONTANA:** Increased employment in larger mining camps with much new developing work. Coal mining is hampered by car shortage. Lumber mills resuming operation.

**NEBRASKA:** Car shortage reduces employment in many lines, agricultural help demand declines with winter. Meat packing, building work good.

**NEVADA:** Mining, lumbering increasing forces. Building, highways, railroad construction augment crews.

**NEW HAMPSHIRE:** Quarries adding employees but still below normal payrolls. Textile work slack owing to labor trouble. Machinery industry is using reduced forces. Shoe industry shows improvement. Building active.

**NEW JERSEY:** Shortage of building mechanics, common labor, factory and mill workers. Iron, steel, machinery, textile, leather and linoleum plants all on upgrade.

**NEW YORK:** Employment in many plants largest in two years, unemployment practically ending. Metal, textile, hosiery, clothing, chemical, rubber, paper, electrical auto accessory industries all report increases. Labor shortage in many lines. Building continues on large scale.

**NORTH CAROLINA:** Cotton, lumber mills increase forces as agriculture releases workers.

**NORTH DAKOTA:** Surplus of skilled labor, female office help.

**OHIO:** Unemployment rapidly disappearing. Rubber, metal, brick, farm implement plants booming, many cities report labor shortage, both skilled and unskilled. Small surplus clerical help.

**OKLAHOMA:** Metal, oil, lumber and railroad operations improved. Avoidance of unskilled labor with limited demand.

**PENNSYLVANIA:** Industrial expansion is general rule. Steel industry 80 percent of capacity. Coal, automotive, railway equipment show gains. Labor and car shortage, slow production in western part.

**RHODE ISLAND:** Textile near normal. Jewelry, silverware plants full capacity. Metal industries 75 percent normal. Building craftsmen in demand.

**SOUTH CAROLINA:** Fertilizer, cotton, lumber plants increase employment. Farm help in demand.

**SOUTH DAKOTA:** Surplus in skilled and unskilled and common labor. Many workers migrating to northern lumber camps.

**TEXAS:** Oil, food, metal, building and textile industries show moderate increase of workers. Other lines show decline. Common labor supply ample.

**TENNESSEE:** Lumber, coal, leather, chemical tobacco show good employment outlook. Car shortage hampers coal and lumber, while iron and steel and clay products decline. Highway building employs several thousand men.

**UTAH:** Smelters increasing forces, 2000 copper miners needed, building and industries increasing in cities.

**VERMONT:** Granite plants on part time basis. Lumber mills active and woodworkers scarce.

**VIRGINIA:** Textile, metals, tobacco, food and leather plants show gains. Coal mining shows steady gain.

**WASHINGTON:** Car shortage cripples fruit industry and lumbering, increasing unemployment of unskilled labor. Steel mills busy, building active.

**WEST VIRGINIA:** Coal, iron and steel, textile plants show increases, despite car shortage. Labor trouble reduces stone, clay and glass production.

**WISCONSIN:** Hardwood, leather, foundry and toolmaking plants all show increased employment. Automobile and truck employment drops. Building active through winter.

**WYOMING:** Big Teapot oil field construction continues, employing many in construction of oil tanks, of pipe lines, refineries, etc. Coal mines operating to transportation capacity. Highway work active.

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## PARIS TO VOTE ON SCHOOL BONDS

Passage of \$50,000 To Be Voted on Today, Makes \$131,000 For The Schools In Four Years

By Associated Press.

PARIS, KY., Dec. 16.—A \$50,000 school bond issue will be voted on here today the third such proposition to be voted on here in four years. Passage of the issue will make the total school bonds voted aggregate \$131,000 in four years.

Submission of the issue today is to provide a new building to house students attracted by the offering of varied courses, principally in vocational study. The high school has increased 300 percent in enrollment in three years.

Extension work in the high school has drawn students from six to sixty years old, including many prominent business men, wealthy farmers and professional men. A former state senator was enrolled in one evening course last winter.

The Paris high school this year drew more money from the Federal government under the provisions of the Smith-Hughes Act for vocational education than any other school in the state except the combined secondary schools of Louisville, according to the members of the board.

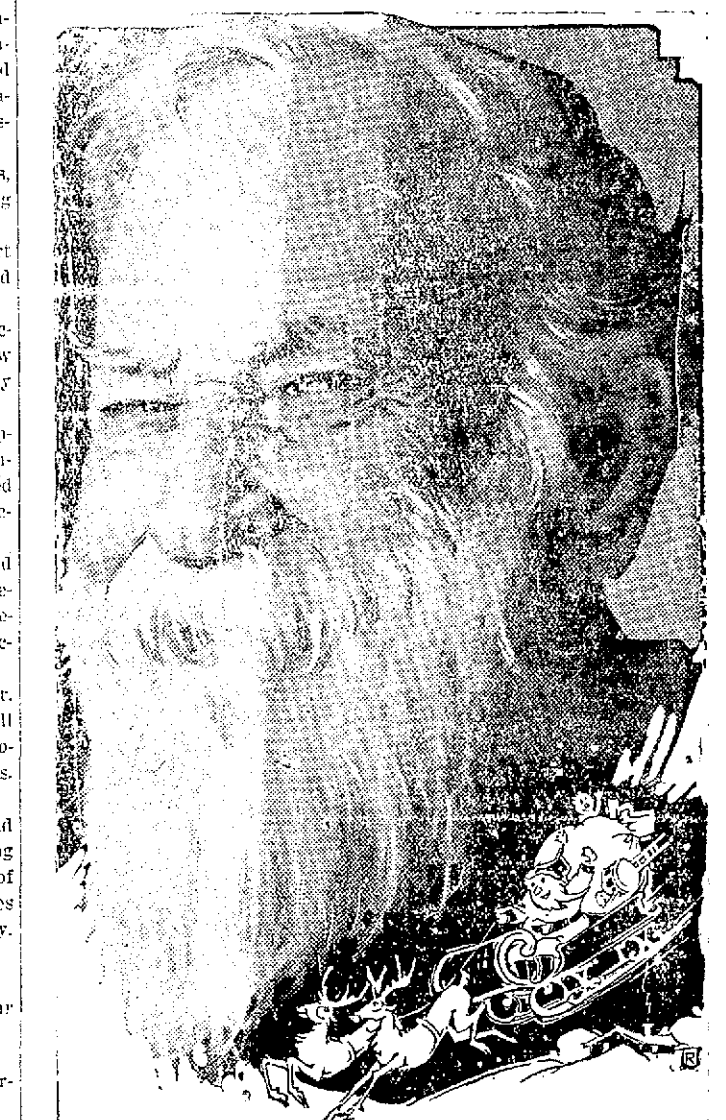
Courses offered include classes for adults in applied electricity, commercial law, millinery, shorthand, book-keeping, typewriting, penmanship, spelling, English, arithmetic, dress making, cooking, mechanical drawing, manual training and art.

A summer school for children was conducted last year that saved thousands of dollars by advancing brighter pupils and enabling pupils below the average to make the grade in the fall, according to instructors.

Every evening in the week except Sunday the auditorium of the high school is opened for citizens of the community. Various groups use the auditorium and gymnasium for study, play, of lecture lectures provided at the expense of the school board.

Most of the extension instruction is done by professors in the University of Kentucky paid by the joint appropriation of the school board and the Federal government.

## "Santa's Lieutenant" Looks Like Good Old St. Nick and Furnishes Trees For Him



Portland, Me., Dec. 16.—"Yes, indeed I look like Santa Claus—but I am only his first lieutenant," says Edward K. Chapman. And like Santa, he is essential to the spreading of Christmas joy in the big eastern cities. For 56 years he has been shipping in their Christmas trees.

"I returned, wounded from the Civil

## NEW SPECIES OF CHRISTMAS TREE

By Associated Press.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 16.—The traditional trip into the hills for the family Christmas tree, which of late years has developed into a call at the grocery store around the corner, has been given a further jolt by dealers who are importing nursery bred trees picked with a cluster of roots and to be transplanted in the yard after serving their holiday usage.

"It gives folks a live, useful tree, and aids in conserving the nation's spruce supply," one dealer said. "Besides, these trees have been grown for this purpose, primarily, and are uniform in shape and size, unlike domestic trees chopped down in the hills and banded in."

Prices of the new-idea trees are three or four times those of ordinary trees, it is said, but their advantages, such as the trees not shedding, their needles and retaining a fresh spruce odor are pointed out.

The trees on sale here have been shipped from Wisconsin, with burlap wrappings protecting the root. While in use for holiday purposes, they are to be set in a bucket or tub of moist earth. Then, with proper care, they can be set up in the yard and by spring will have resumed normal growth, dealers declare.

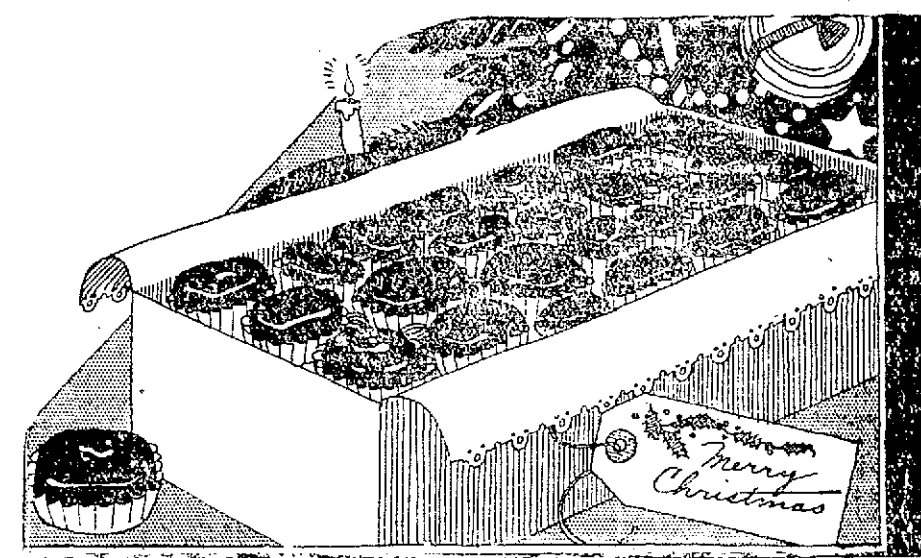
## INTER-RACIAL CONFERENCE IN LOUISVILLE THIS WEEK

By Associated Press.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 16.—Delegates were here today for the third inter-racial conference to be held at the Jefferson county court house under the auspices of the State Young Men's Christian Association, the organization which directs the work of the State Inter-Racial Commission. The theme of the two day meeting was decided upon as "Some Kentucky Problems Requiring Inter-Racial Co-Operation in their Solution."

The Inter-Racial Commission has named a committee to study the situation and make recommendations at this meeting. This committee, which is perhaps the most important one of the meeting, according to leaders in the movement, will make recommendations which will set forth the views of the conference and furnish the basis for inter-racial work in the state during the coming year.

The students of Lincoln Institute, Lincoln Ridge, of Simmons University, Louisville, and choirs of the negro churches of Louisville will furnish music.



## What's Christmas Without Candy?

Christmas without candy is like Christmas without a holiday. Candies are as much a part of the Yuletide observance as the garly decorated tree and the exchange of remembrances which we all look forward to for almost a whole year.

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# Germany--1923! It's a Land of Strife

## FOES THREATEN GERMANY WITHIN AND WITHOUT

Political Strife Keeps Government In  
Turmoil—French Demands For  
Reparations Continue  
To Be Urgent.

THINGS SEEM TO BE GO-  
ING WELL ON SURFACE

By Milton Bromer.

BERLIN, Dec. 10.—Beaten in war, pledged to pay vast reparations, deprived of much of her richest territory and assets, her financial structure tottering and her industry slackening, the eve of 1923 finds Germany threatened by foes within and without.

Every threat from without strengthens the hands of the foes within.

France is demanding Germany live up to the very letter of the bond she signed at Versailles. There is always the threat that more German territory will be occupied by French troops.

Such an occupation would increase the financial burden of Germany, seriously cripple industry in the newly seized territory, and further paralyze the German mark.

Today there are only three main currencies which are cheaper than that of Germany—Polish, Austrian and Russian.

Every drop in the value of the German mark upsets everything in Germany. Every previous adjustment has to be readjusted.

It forces the issue of more paper money.

If causes people to stuff their wallets with thousands and ten thousand mark notes.

It increases the government's expenditure because its employees get newly increased wages, and unemployed workmen and disabled soldiers get increased pensions.

It forces up the cost of everything the people eat and wear—in paper marks.

It brings about universal demand for more wages—in paper marks.

It makes it ever more difficult for the country to buy abroad the foodstuffs and raw materials Germany must have if people are to be fed and clothed and if industry is to go on.

You would think that a Germany in which the mark had tobogganed from 250 to the dollar last May, to about 8,000 at one time in November, would be in serious danger of becoming a second Russia.

But Germany is not a second Russia and not likely to be.

The people are too intelligent and too well educated.

On the surface things seem to be going well in Germany. There is little or no unemployment. Beggars are absent. The shops seem fairly well stocked. The people seem decently clothed. The thoroughfares are cleaner than in the average American city. The trains take care of the traffic and run on schedule.

In Berlin hotels and restaurants are jammed. In most theaters a half day before the performance begins there is the sign "ausverkauft"—sold out. But much of this seeming prosperity is due to foreigners.

It is the outsiders who crowd the hotels and fill the theaters and restaurants. It is they who patronize the taxis at 1500 to 2000 marks per ride.

Walk away from the brightly lighted, well-kept main streets of Berlin, Hamburg, Bremen, what city you will, and go to the dimly lighted streets and you will find another side of the German picture.

You find the middle class—the small tradesmen, the professors, the teachers, the old people who had retired before the war, the doctors—all these people pinched by hard times and sometimes almost starving.

Even the workmen protected by the labor unions and thus enabled to force up their earnings—in paper marks—find their wages too small to keep their families in comfort.

And it is here that the internal foes of Germany get busy.

To the left stand the Communists, to some extent fortified by Bolshevik money.

To the right stand the monarchists, largely financed by the great land-owning Junker class.

Communists agitators are very busy among the city workmen and the peasant laborers.

They say the present republic is a flat failure.

Posters designed to inflame thoughtless minds appear upon city billboards. In Hamburg I saw a red sheet which asked the workmen how he would live when bread cost 500 marks per loaf and hundreds of thousands of men walked the streets jobless.

In sold wages were only within 50 per cent of the cost of living. It proclaimed that the real enemies of the workers were the capitalists, the leaders of the old political parties, and the foolish sheep who allowed themselves to be led to the slaughter.

On the extreme right and more dangerous to the sorely tried republic are the Kaiserists. They have their newspapers, and their pamphlets. They point out Germany's sad plight and lead back to the good old days under the Kaiser.

In some sections of Germany, recent elections have shown an increase in the voices for the Monarchist party. While the Communists dream of a re-

volution which will make Germany Bolshevik, the Monarchist plan for another "putsch" which will once more put them in the saddle. My own judgment is that there is more danger from the Monarchists than from the Communists.

MONDAY: The problems of marketing with a shrinking mark.

## KID MCCOY URGES UNIFORM DIVORCE

Fugitive and Most Divorced Man in  
U. S. Advocates Reform in National System.

By Jack Jungmeyer

Los Angeles, Dec. 15.—Kid McCoy, former pugilist and most divorced man in the United States, has decided to join the movement for a national uniform divorce law which will come up before congress.

Says McCoy, whose name is Norman Selby outside the ring:

"Marquis of Queensbury rules govern boxing the world over. Why not have Queensbury rules for divorce?"

"A national divorce law, defining universal foul blows in the game of love, would greatly swell Cupid's gate



NORMAN SELBY ("KID MCCOY")

receipts and increase the popularity of matrimonial matches in America.

Love Sport Declining

"If we continue in the present chaos of different laws in every state we must expect a decline in this greatest of all sports."

The kid speaks as an expert. He has been married and divorced eight times and he had wife No. 9 picked out but the match fell through. He says he lost only four of 170 ring battles—but as a husband he suffered eight knockouts via the divorce court.

"I lost every one of my matrimonial contests. My wives—bless them all—divorced me. I must admit I was at fault—not considerate enough, too hot tempered, too roving by disposi-

tion, top ready to break off, for the new because it was so easy."

Recommends Two Causes.

"My matrimonial career has taught me to believe that only two causes for divorce should be recognized—infidelity and bona fide desertion. The other set-ups of incompatibility and cruelty are ruining the sport of marriage. It is seldom that a divorce case nowadays is worth attending. Too common to draw a gate."

McCoy says he's going to wed again if he can and somebody like Edna Valentine, wife No. 7. She was his favorite wife, he says, although he twice remarried wife No. 2.

"I've learned enough to succeed this time," he added. "I hold a man does not know his own mind until he's 40. I'm pretty near 50."

Roster of Wives of Norman Selby.

1—Lottie Piehler, of Middletown, O. Married, 1893; divorced, 1897.

2—Julia Woodruff, of Newark, N. J. Married, 1898; divorced, 1899.

3—Julia Woodruff, remarried in Boston, 1899; divorced, 1900.

4—Julia Woodruff, third time married, 1900; divorced, 1902.

5—Andiola Arnold, of Providence, R. I. Married, 1903; divorced, 1904.

6—Mrs. Lillian Earl, divorced wife of Edward C. Ellis; Married, 1906; divorced, 1910.

7—Edna Valentine, daughter of W. S. Valentine, known as Boss of Honduras, married in New York, 1911; divorced, 1916.

8—Dagmar Dalgren, one of Isadora Duncan's dancing girls; married in Los Angeles, 1921; divorced two weeks later.

## NEW U. S. TARIFF TO AFFECT CHINESE TRADE LITTLE

By Associated Press.

Shanghai, Dec. 15.—China's trade will be less affected than that of any other country by the new American tariff law, according to views expressed in official and commercial circles in Shanghai. The chief exports from China that are affected by the American tariff are egg products, peanut and soybean oil and peanuts and walnuts. These constitute less than a fifth of China's annual exports to the United States.

The bulk of China's exports to America in aggregate valuation comprises raw cotton, silk, tea, hides, undressed furs, fur skins, carpet wool, wood oils and sausage casings, or about 70 per cent of the country's exports, and these are continued on the free list.

Hair nets, strawbraids, feathers and down, constituting about 10 per cent of China's exports, are said to be admitted under the same scale of duties that obtained under the 1913 tariff.

The new law's increase from 45 per cent to 55 per cent on manufactured silk, including pongees will not materially affect this trade, it is believed, nor is it thought that additions in the ad valorem duty from 60 per cent to 90 per cent on laces and from 60 to 70 per cent on embroidery will have much effect in reducing the bulk of these exports.

## Unusual Coat.

An elegant coat has wide, flowing sleeves of kolinsky and a Medici collar of the fur. Circular sides give an irregular hemline with a decided flare. The upper part is a close-fitting bodice.

Delia Estep, daughter of Garrett Estep in East End is reported much worse today. She has been ill for several weeks with a severe case of typhoid fever.

## SAVED SICK SPELLS

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Mr. Cromer writes that he is "never out of Black-Draught," and says several of his neighbors prefer it to any other liver medicine. "I always recommend Black-Draught to my friends," he adds.

This valuable, old, powdered liver medicine is prepared from medicinal roots and herbs, and has none of the bad effects so often observed from the use of calomel, or other powerful mineral drugs. Be sure to get the genuine, Theodor's.

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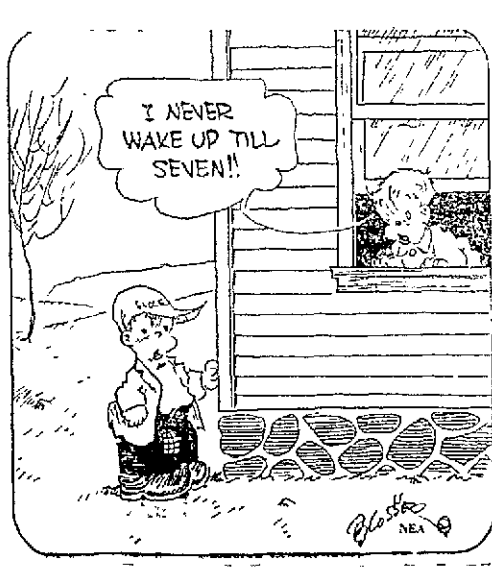
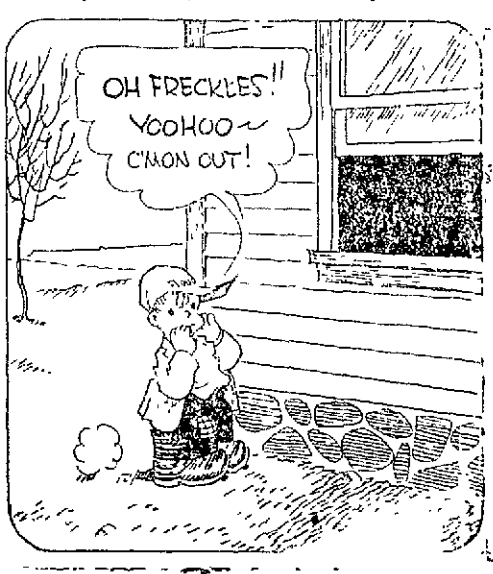
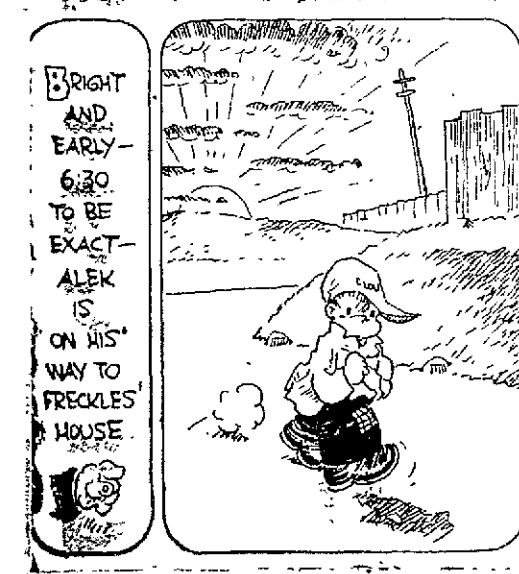
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## LOCAL BRIEFS

City subscribers who do not receive their copies of the Daily News may phone the Daily News office between the hours of 5:30 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. and one will be sent out to them.

We invite you to phone in any local or society items. Only with your cooperation can our paper be truly representative of the community it reaches. Phone 63.

Reagan Brothers Hardware company have two of the prettiest windows they have ever decorated. Each evening many children gather about them and select their gifts over and over. In one window is a lovely Christmas tree lighted with all the shining bulbs and tinsel. Around the foot of the tree are scattered gifts for everybody. In the other window is an artistic display of electric irons and percolators.

Go To The Kentucky Utilities Company for Christmas Tree Lighting Sets

Mrs. H. M. Garrett and daughter, Miss Beatrice, of Lincoln Memorial University, were visiting in Middlesboro yesterday.

Another attractive Christmas window is the Miller Store window displaying furs and toys. At night it is particularly beautiful. The lighting is well arranged over snow laden branches of evergreen where furs are caught at intervals. On the ground is a jolly lot of toys.

The Christmas program and tree of the First Baptist church will be celebrated next Friday night. Food and presents for the poor will be donated by the members and divided into baskets which will be delivered to the poor Saturday morning.

A Salvation Army pot for the collection of money to be used in the interest of the poor of the city at Christmas has been placed on the corner in front of the Citizens' bank. Comptroller Cuthbert is in charge of the pot. On account of a lack of assistance this year this is the only pot that has been provided. Mrs. Cuthbert is unable to assist in the work on account of the present state of her health.

Supl. J. W. Bradner went to Frankfort yesterday to attend an educational meeting. He is expected to return Sunday morning.

Pinnacle Lodge number 661 of Middlesboro will confer the E. C. degree on Julian P. Seales and the M. M. degree on James A. Goforth tonight at 7 o'clock.

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Two alleged auto thieves were brought through Middlesboro from Harboursville en route to Asheville, N. C. where it was said the car was stolen. The two prisoners, who were mere boys, were accompanied by two officers. The car in which they were riding and which it is said was stolen at Asheville stopped at Catron's garage for the purpose of being washed and repaired. It was a 1922 Buick car.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Hoe and son will spend the Christmas holidays with the parents of Mrs. Hoe in Harboursville.

I. B. Dickey, who is connected with the Seales garage, has been sick during the past two days and unable to be at work.

D. Z. Gilson is a visitor in Appalachia. He is expected home Saturday. Park A. Carr of Cumberland Gap, son of T. B. Carr, had his tonsils removed yesterday at the Broshier-Pennett Hospital.

Mrs. Millard Ball and little daughter of Harlan stopped in Middlesboro today to visit Miss Nina Mahan. They are on their way to Williamsburg where they will visit over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Saunders and grandson, Bill, spent Thursday in Louisville shopping. Bill says they were visiting Santa Claus.

Henry Wetherell has gone to Maine, Mass., where he will spend the Christmas holidays with his parents. After the holidays he will go to Chelsea, Mass., to take charge of the home factory during illness of E. B. Page. Mr. Page is reported critically ill. He is now in the hospital.

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The Middlesboro Hardware Company have two very attractive Christmas windows. One is filled with all gifts for children including velocipedes, pop guns, skates and the ever loved pig skins. Holly forms the border of this window. The other window is a display of Haviland china, percolators, carrying sets and electrical appliances. In the back ground is a large sized knife with blades that continually open and close. The knife is thirty inches long, eighteen inches six inches deep and blades are eighteen inches long. It weighs seven ounces. Snow shimmers over the entire display.

Dan Seals of Knoxville was in Middlesboro yesterday. Miss Edna Gray Cloud of Clouds, Tenn., was shopping in Middlesboro yesterday.

W. C. Fugate, president of the Peoples Bank of Ewing, Va., and two daughters, Jettie and May, were shopping in Middlesboro yesterday.

The Golden Rule degree of the Odd-Fellow Lodge was conferred on ten candidates at Pinnacle Camp number eighty Thursday night. The candidates were: R. L. Pickrell, J. C. Baumgardner, C. C. Wilson, Jack Pearl, Will Reese, Chas. Scott, Chas. Janeway, Ernest Moore and E. F. Walker. The Royal Purple degree will be conferred on these men next Thursday. A feast will follow the initiation.

Mrs. E. M. Robinson has gone to Chicago to spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Clara Gregory.

Among the visitors from Ewing, Va., yesterday were W. C. Kline, Mrs. Clint Bailey, Miss Annie Kate Motley and Pat Ely.

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## PINEVILLE

Miss Mary McDermott of Harboursville is the guest of Miss Myra Johnson at her home on Cherry St.

Mrs. J. E. Settle and her two children Joe Ed and Mary Lee will spend the Christmas holidays with relatives in Charleston, West Va.

Walter Marling, from Yale University, and Frank Marling from McCallies, Chattanooga, will spend the Christmas season with their parents Mr. and Mrs. George Marling.

Logan Patterson will arrive early next week to spend the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Reid Patterson.

Prof. F. H. Kitchins of Middlesboro was in the city today.

Dr. A. C. McAdoo of Middlesboro was a visitor in Pineville Thursday.

Ed Pursifull, Martin Green, and Jodge Van Bevers have returned from a weeks hunting in Tennessee. They brought back all the law allows.

W. T. Rye, of Harboursville, was in the city today.

J. A. McDermott of Harboursville was a business visitor in Pineville Thursday.

Dr. J. M. Brooks, J. D. Smith and D. D. Stewart are hunting in Tennessee this week.

Horace Rollins is expected home the latter part of the week for the Christmas holidays.

## NOTICE

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Bank of Middlesboro will be held at its banking house on Tuesday, January 9, 1923 at 2 o'clock p. m. for the election of Directors or any other business that may be brought before it.

R. K. JUDY, Cashier.

FOR SALE—Sewing Machine, drop head. Good as new, cost \$60.00. Will sell \$25.00. Need the money. Can see machine at store 210 E. 10th St. 16

BAOHELO—36, worth \$70,000, wants a wife. Y. Box 35, League, Toledo, Ohio. 12-16

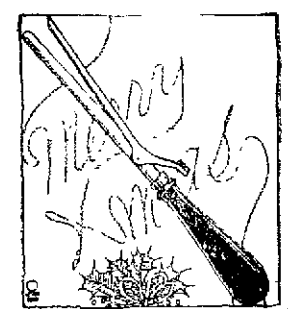
## CHURCHES

**First M. E. Church.**  
Methodist Episcopal Church, North Twenty-fifth street, the Rev. E. F. Funnissides, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Edward L. Johnson, superintendent, with a splendid corps of teachers. Preaching services at 11 a. m., subject, "Cooperation." Boworth League 6:30 p. m. Evening services 7:30, subject "The Gospel of the Day" or meeting Wednesday evening 7 p. m. Come and be winners.

**Second Baptist Church.**  
The Sunday school of the Second Baptist church of Middlesboro will have its regular school next Sunday at 9:45. B. G. Burchett is superintendent. A large attendance is expected and everyone will be given a hearty welcome. This is the Sunday to elect officers for the new year. School will also meet at 3 p. m. Sunday to arrange the entertainment for Christmas. This entertainment will begin at 2 p. m. Christmas eve. Come and join our Sunday school if you don't attend elsewhere. Church will be held on Sunday before Christmas. Rev. Walden, the pastor, will preach on "The Coming of Christ." A large crowd is expected as Rev. Walden is a great speaker. You are invited to come hear him.

**St. Mary's Episcopal.**  
The St. Mary's Episcopal Church services as follows: Holy Communion, 8 a. m. Church School 10 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m. Evening Prayer and address 4 p. m.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning services at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Saving the Saved." B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Evening sermon at 7:30 o'clock, subject "Deep Sea Fishing."



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**Christian Science Society.**  
Masonic building, 20th street. Services Sunday 11 a. m. Subject: Is the Universe, including man, evolved by atomic force? Golden text: Isaiah 45:18. For thus saith the Lord that created the heavens: God himself that formed the earth and made it: he hath established it, he created it not in vain, he formed it to be inhabited: I am the Lord and there is none else. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Testimonial meetings Wednesday 7:45 p. m.

**M. E. Church, South.**  
Morning subject, "The Nature and Design of God's Love." Foshier Ernest Oliz, ex-chaplain of the U. S. Army, will speak at the evening service. Epworth League and Sunday school at the regular hours. Rev. W. K. McClure, pastor.

**Christian Church.**  
Sunday school 9:30 a. m., H. R. Chandler, superintendent. Morning sermon and communion at 11 o'clock, sermon subject, "God's Great and Precious Promise." Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Evening sermon 7:30, subject, "Get Set."

**First Presbyterian Church**  
First Presbyterian church, corner Edgewood road and Twentieth street, "The White Brick Church." Rev. Johnson Archer Gray, D. D., minister. Manse 2703 Cumberland avenue. Services Sunday as follows:  
Morning worship 11 o'clock, sermon subject, "Under Lock and Key," a sermon dealing with things requiring the master key and other things which must be locked up. Evening service 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject, "A Feast of Ashes," dealing with those elements of life that lead to certain destruction.

Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:30. W. Sam Anderson, superintendent; C. A. Blackburn, assistant superintendent. Dr. Gray teaches the Brotherhood class for men; Mrs. L. I. Robertson teaches the young ladies; Mrs. Leila McKay teaches the women. The primary department for children is the best equipped department in the state, and has sand tables and all other essentials necessary to the petriol as well as the oral teachings of the lesson, taught by devout, consecrated women. The school has a large children's choir and orchestra, and Dr. Gray preaches a sermonette to the assembled school at the end of the lessons. Junior Endeavor society meets at 2:30, led by Mrs. H. A. McCamp, violin orchestra conducted by Prof. John Shumann, Middlesboro's music master. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:45 A comfortable and beautiful church, with good congregational singing, and always crowded. Mrs. Joe Alderson, organist. The public is cordially invited to these services. Visitors to the city given special attention.

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## "Under Lock and Key"

Morning Subject 11 A. M.

The mightiest forces of nature are locked up, and only he who holds the "Master Key" can enter the invisible empire. There are mighty forces in man, many of them for good; many for evil, and these must be kept under "lock and key."

JUNIOR ENDEAVOR AT 2:30 P. M.

Y. P. S. C. E. AT 6:45 P. M.

## "A Feast of Ashes"

Evening Service 7:30

A sermon emphasizing the emptiness and utter uselessness of wrong living and the certain destruction of things having a downward trend.

Sunday School and Men's Bible Class 9:30

A CORDIAL INVITATION EXTENDED TO EVERYONE TO ATTEND THESE SERVICES.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17

## "Saving the Saved"

Sermon subject 11 a. m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL, 9:45 A. M.

## "Deep Sea Fishing"

Sermon subject 7:30 p. m.

Senior, Intermediate and Junior B. Y. P. U.

6:30 P. M.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT  
FRIDAY, DEC. 22  
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Mrs. C. H. Baker will return today from Pineville where she has been visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barden.

NOTICE—All persons having claims against the estate of W. L. Salyers, deceased, will please file the same with John Howard, attorney for the Executrix of his estate, Sue Giltner Salyers, in his office in the Masonic Hall Building in Middlesboro, Bell County, Kentucky, and all persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate settlement.

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FOR SALE—One Ford 1921 model one ton truck. Call Old phone 531. 12-16

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